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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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Box: Patent Application
Washington, DC 20231

PATENT

RE: Application for U.S. Letters Patent covering the

Invention of: Mark S. Vreeke, Marvin A. Genshaw and
Bryan S. Melle

Entitled: METHODS OF DETERMINING GLUCOSE CONCENTRATION
IN WHOLE BLOOD SAMPLES

Docket No.: MSE #2658

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an application for U.S. Letters Patent above identified. This application includes the following:

- ☒ 17 Pages of specification, including claims and abstract
- ☒ 4 Sheets of drawing (in triplicate)
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to Bayer Healthcare LLC (and cover sheet)
- ☐ A certified copy of a _____ application
- ☒ Declaration, power of attorney and petition
- ☒ Information disclosure statement

CLAIMS AS FILED

Independent ClaimsTOTAL (A) 2

Dependent Claims

Dependent on one claim	<u>26</u>	x	<u>1</u>	=	<u>26</u>
Dependent on two claims	<u> </u>	x	<u>2</u>	=	<u> </u>
Dependent on three claims	<u> </u>	x	<u>3</u>	=	<u> </u>
Dependent on four claims	<u> </u>	x	<u>4</u>	=	<u> </u>
Dependent on five claims	<u> </u>	x	<u>5</u>	=	<u> </u>
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TOTAL (B) 26

FEE CALCULATION

Total (A) = 2 - 3 = 0 x \$84.00 = \$ -0-Total (A) + (B) = 28 - 20 = 8 x \$18.00 = \$ 144.00Basic fee = \$ 750.00Fee for filing multiple dependent claims (\$280.00)= \$ -0-Total filing fee = \$ 894.00Assignment recordal fee = \$ 40.00Check enclosed for the total amount calculated = \$ 934.00

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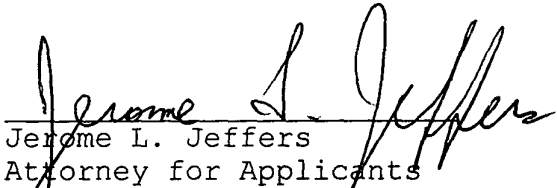
ATTENTION MAIL ROOM:

If for any reason this application is found to be incomplete, please advise by collect telephone call to Area Code (574) 264-8394.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this application by returning the stamped, self-addressed post card enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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5. Name and address of party to whom correspondence concerning the assignment document(s) should be mailed:

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6. Total number of applications and patents involved: One (1)

7. Total Fee (\$40.00 per application or patent) \$40.00

☒ Fee included in filing fee check enclosed with application.

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9. To the best of my knowledge and belief, the foregoing information is true and correct and any attached copy is a true copy of the original document.

Total number of pages, including cover letter and attachments: Four (4)

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